(b) തിരുവിതാംകൂർ ഗവൺമെണ്ടിൻറെ മരപ്പണി എന്തു;

(c) ഈ വിദ്യയകമായി രണ്ടു ഗവൺമെണ്ടുകളുടെയും എഴുത്തുകുത്തുകൾ മേലെപ്പറഞ്ഞ വയ്ക്കുമൊ?

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. അരവിന്ദാക്ഷമേനോൻ.—(a) ഇതുവരെയും തീരുമാനമായിട്ടില്ല.

(b) മരപ്പണി ഒന്നും കിട്ടിയിട്ടില്ല.

(c) രണ്ടു ഗവൺമെണ്ടുകളും തമ്മിൽ നേരിട്ട എഴുത്തുകുത്തുകൾ ഉണ്ടായിട്ടില്ല. അവ ചീഫ് എഞ്ചിനീയരും പറവൂർ മുനിസിപ്പാലിറ്റിയും തമ്മിൽ മാത്രമെ ആയിരുന്നുള്ളൂ.

Ramavarmapuram building.

167. Mr. C. J. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether building construction work is still going on at Ramavarmapuram ;

(b) what is the amount expended up-to-date on building constructions there, during the current year ;

(c) what are the buildings that are being erected there now ;

(d) when did the works connected with the College Scheme commence and how much money in all has been expended in this connection alone up-to-date ;

(e) whether they have any idea of suspending work for some time during the current year ;

(f) whether there is any truth in the rumour that the Government are now hesitating as to whether they ought to proceed or not with the College works at Ramavarmapuram ;

(g) whether the water-problem there has been solved, and if so, how ;

(h) whether they have consulted any known educationist from outside as regards the laying out of the College buildings, hostels, etc ;

(i) whether the Chief Engineer will be pleased to place on the table the plan of the hostel buildings now under construction and also state kindly whether this plan is made out on the lines of any recognised hostel building elsewhere ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) Yes.

(b) Rs. 1,118 up to the end of Kanni 1106.

(c) Four dormitory buildings for boys.

(d) Makaram 1105. Rs. 1,32,303—3—0 up to the end of Kanni 1106.

(e) No.

(f) No.

(g) Supply for the College requirements can be made available from tanks proposed to be dug at Villadam.

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(h) The lay out plan of the grounds is being sent to the University Commission for their approval.

(i) A plan will be placed on the table.

The plan is not a copy of any of the existing hostels. It represents a combination of the good points of several of the existing hostels and an elimination of many of the bad points in them.

Arecanut market at Ottupara.

168. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether there is not an arecanut market at Ottupara near Vadakkancheri conducted by one Mr. Muhamed;

(b) how long he has been conducting that business;

(c) what does the Government get from him and on what conditions is he conducting the market ;

(d) what is the approximate extent of the value of the arecanut that is sold in this market annually ;

(e) whether anyone else is now allowed to carry on the same business in Vadakkancheri or near about on the same day as Mr. Muhamed is allowed to do ;

(f) whether anyone or more persons had been allowed to do the same business on the same day during the last 10 years ;

(g) if the answer to sub-division (e) is in the negative the reason why sanction is withheld ?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—(a) Yes.

(b) Since 1063 ; i. e., nearly 43 years.

(c) An annual license fee of Rs. 100. He is allowed to hold the market weekly on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

(d) Not known.

(e) No.

(f) Yes. Some eight years back.

(g) In accordance with the wholesome rule that when markets were held in the same place or in the near vicinity of each other different days should be allotted to each to avoid clash of interests.

Diversion of the Chalakkudi river.

169. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state at what stage the diversion of the Chalakkudi River now stands ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—The Chalakkudi River Diversion Scheme is meant to irrigate Virippu and Mundakan lands in the Mukundapuram Taluk and also for supplying water to the kole lands.

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